(vii) Initiated a new scheme called SWADHAR for women in difficult situations including victims of trafficking. The Scheme provides for shelter, counselling, medical assistance, vocational training to rescued victims.

(viii) Formulated a model grant-in-aid scheme for assistance to NGOs to combat trafficking in source areas, traditional areas and destination areas through prevention, resuce and rehabilitation. Emphasis is placed on counselling, non-formal education and vocational training.

(ix) Notified officers of the level of Inspector and above in the CBI as Trafficking Police Officers for investigation of inter-state trafficking cases.

(x) Commissioned a National Survey to go into the magnitude of the problem and to estimate of the numbers involved and trafficking routes.

Many State Governments have also enacted legislation to prohibit Devdasi, Jogin and other form of sexual exploitation based on tradition.

The National Commission for Women is conducting active advocacy against trafficking in partnership with NGOs. It has conducted 20 workshops all over the country and has prepared a comprehensive Report on the subject.

Grants for Computer Education in Universities

1127. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the amount sanctioned by the University Grants Commission to different Universities for pormoting computer education, during the last three years;

(b) whether UGC has received utilization reports from the universities in this regard; and

(c) if so, the number of persons trained by computer education during the above period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESORUCE DEVELOPMENT [DR. (SHRIMATI) RITA VERMA]: (a) A Statement indicating the grants sanctioned by UGC to various universities for promoting computer education during the last three years i.e. 1999-2000 to 2001-2002 is enclosed. (*See* below)

(b) According to the information furnished by UGC, the utilisation certificates have been received in most of the cases. The next instalment of grants is released to the universities only on receipt of the utilisation certificate of earlier grant paid by the UGC.

(c) No database on the number of persons trained in computer education is being maintained by the UGC, at present.

Statement

Grants sanctioned by UGC to various Universities for promoting Computer education during 1999-2000 to 2001-2002

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Category of University	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002
1.	Central Universities	100.54	19.50	81.37
2.	Deemed to be Universities	69.00	50.74	104.90
3.	State Universities	721.54	200.99	351.63
	Total	891.08	271.23	537.90

Millennium Parcel Trains

1128. SHRIMATI S.G. INDIRA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Millennium Parcel Trains have been introduced on Delhi-Mumbai route;

(b) whether such trains are proposed to be introduced between Delhi-Chennai and other Southern destinations;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?